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take no account of local reaction to such closures, or to the general public relations angle of it, or to the inconvenience that will be caused visa applicants, one cannot make much of a case against this ill-advised exercise, the objective of which is apparently to take funds away from EUR to feed demands of our developing establishments in Africa.

October 7, 1962 - Sunday

This is a beautiful Indian summer day. Jack McCloy, who arrived here this morning, spent a couple of hours with me this afternoon. At 67, he seems as vigorous and alert as when I first met him. He is engaged on a trip primarily as a representative of international oil companies, to study the impact of Soviet petroleum sales abroad, and what, if anything, should be done about trying to curtail them. He has frequently been consulted by the President on all sorts of matters. The President has offered him various governmental posts, but he has declined them.

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